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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 17,

Line 50, change "sense" to -- series --;

Column 18,

Line 8, change "according to 2" to -- according to claim 2 --.

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